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federation, who presented the money, said, "All the Chinese residents in North Korea have been impressed very much by the burning patriotism of the Korean people. We are happy to contribute this money as a token of our admiration of your people."

CHINESE SURGEONS ATTEND CONVENTION IN P'YONGYANG -- T'usa Sinmun, 8 Jan 50

On 6 January 1950, the Ministry of Public Health of the People's Republic sponsored a New Year's party in honor of the group of Chinese surgeons led by Chu T'aek-so, chief surgeon of the Peiping Hospital, who have been visiting North Korea to attend the surgical science convention held in P'yongyang.

Yi Tong-hwa, Vice-Minister of Public Health, Ch'oe Ch'ang-sok, Director of Foreign Affairs Bureau, public health officials, and many outstanding Korean surgeons attended the party and extended enthusiastic welcomes to the Chinese.

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